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Atomic Reactor in Moscow

1. The atomic reactor [REDACTED] was rated at 300 kilowatts, not 2000 kilowatts as previously stated. Two thousand kilowatts were to be the output of the reactor purchased by the East German Government for delivery at Dresden in the fall of 1956. [REDACTED]
2. The 300-kilowatt reactor [REDACTED] had the following characteristics: It was intended for research and training, and it was light water cooled and moderated. The reactor contained 58 kilograms of uranium enriched 10 percent. It had 358 fuel rods, nine millimeters in diameter and 58 centimeters long. Each rod was "canned" in one-half millimeter of aluminum, making the total diameter ten millimeters. The lattice spacing was 18 millimeters center to center. The reactor was run by V.S. Fursov, deputy to V.V. Migulin. [REDACTED]
3. The 2000-kilowatt reactor ordered by the East German Government is to be exactly the same as the 300-kilowatt reactor [REDACTED] except that the 2000-kilowatt reactor will have 65 kilograms of uranium enriched 10 percent, with the lattice spacing 17.5 millimeters center to center. The additional uranium would mean more rods [REDACTED]

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4. There were no plans to boost the Moscow reactor to 2000 kilowatts. The room and facilities available for that reactor could not handle such an increase.

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Phasotron

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5. The phasotron [redacted] belonged to V.I. Veksler. [redacted]
[redacted] the maximum output of the machine was 300 Mev, [redacted]
[redacted] the phasotron was operating at 217 to 220 Mev.
The diameter of the "doughnut" (i.e., magnet) was 1.5 meters. with 9,800
gauss and 50 cycles input. [redacted]

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[redacted] it was very high, higher than that of
the machines in the United States. The phasotron was accelerating electrons
for meson production and for experiments in scattering.

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